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HAPPY NEW YEAR!

JAN/FEB 2016

Santa Claus Came to Town!

TTD hosted its Annual Christmas Tree Lighting on December 13th. This year's event was attended by well over 200 residents and featured Tim Currie's Motown Band, The Marvin Elementary School Children's Choir and of course, a visit from Santa.



Pictured: Marvin Elementary School Children's Choir

Our Customers Give Back

TTD's Annual Food and Toy Drive was a **huge success**!

Thank you for helping us to collect 400 lbs. of non-perishable food, \$65 in cash contributions for the food bank and 5 extralarge boxes of toys for children of all ages.

How Do We Measure Up?

TTD is often asked how our rates compare to that of other electric providers. As a municipal utility company, we strive to provide the best service at the most competitive price available. Below is a rate comparison example, as of Jan. 1, 2016, based on 700 kWh usage for a residential customer. For the Eversource rates, figures are that of a residential customer who falls into the "Rate 1" category.

TTD		<u>Eversource</u>
Residential Svc. Chg.:	\$ 8.00	Distribution Customer Svc. Chg.: \$ 19.25
Residential kWh Chg.:	\$ 99.68	All Other Charges*: \$125.65
Power Cost Adjustment	\$ 7.00	
Energy Conservation Fund:	\$ 1.75	
Total:	\$116.43	Total: \$144.90

^{*}Includes distribution, transmission, conservation, conservation adjustment mechanism, renewal energy, systems benefits charge, competitive assessment, FMCC-delivery, FMCC-generation, and generation services.

What is Power Cost Adjustment?

This is the wholesale cost of power that is charged to TTD by its wholesale power supplier, CMEEC, and is periodically updated to reflect current costs.

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Bill Pay Made Easy

Later this month, TTD will launch an improved tool to view and pay your electric bill online. You will notice a message on your TTD billing envelope this month and will be able to access the new online payment portal via ttd.gov/my-account, once the new system goes live.

Switch and Save!



Beginning Jan. 1st through March 31st, TTD is excited to offer our residential customers, FREE of charge, one 3-pack of 10-watt LED bulbs, which replace standard 60watt bulbs. Download your coupon: ttd.gov/resource-center/programs or pick one up at the TTD office.

How Are We Doing?

In an effort to continually improve customer satisfaction, TTD is conducting quarterly surveys of its and residential commercial customers. We encourage all of our rate payers to take a few minutes to complete the brief survey, accessible via the link below. It is our commitment to YOU that allows us to continue to deliver outstanding service. Take the survey at ttd.gov.

TTD Speaks

Please take a moment to visit our new blog at **ttd.gov/blog**. We will be adding posts each month! In addition to providing reliable power to East Norwalk residents and businesses, TTD is continually working on various maintenance and improvement projects.

As always, we value your input so stop by and feel free to leave a comment.

Working Smarter

You may recall that TTD had a thirdparty contractor, MPower, working in the district in the Fall of 2015 to conduct the GIS mapping of the distribution system for TTD.

The second phase of the process is now underway in which MPower will present TTD with a browserbased tool of all of TTD's utility assets and networks. This project is critical in assisting TTD in building the toolbox to enable easier outage response and reporting, real time meter status maps, improved insight for predictive maintenance, much more!

Stay Informed

In December, TTD added a National industry news feed on the home page at ttd.gov. This provides you with news about solar programs, keeping power costs affordable and other energy related information.

Firehouse Facelift!

The men and women of the Norwalk Fire Department, Station 3. on Van Zant Street have been hard at work making renovations, including updates to various common areas. A tour will be announced soon and residents are invited to stop by and see the work that the department members have completed; thanks to the help of many individuals in the community who have donated time and/or materials to make this a success.



Upcoming Meetings

Jan. 12: Library Planning

Committee Meeting

Jan. 21: Special Commission Meeting

Feb. 1: Commission Meeting

Feb. 22: Commission Meeting

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